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VICINITY NEWS.

Perry Bullock gets the postoffice at Line Creek, Pulaski county.

Mrs. Martha, relict of Col. James A. Fisher, died at Danville, aged 81.

Editor A. D. Miller, of the Richmond Climax, has a little girl at his house.

W. G. Nicely has been appointed postmaster at Hansford, Rockcastle county.

Gov. Bradley refused to pardon Robert Horn, sent up from Garrard for horse stealing.

The Nicholasville base ball club defeated the Danville team again Friday. The score was 8 to 6.

Tom Holland was arrested at Middleboro for a murder committed in Tennessee four years ago.

The new Opera House at Somerset, Messrs. Claunch, Hail & Ogden, managers, will open Aug. 19, with Punch Robinson's attractions.

Tobo Ellis, son of Joel Ellis, of Dunville, was thrown from a horse, breaking his thigh and receiving injuries which may prove fatal.

James Reedy, slayer of Walter Byrd, was hanged in effigy at Williamsburg. The man is in jail and was much afraid the hanging would become a reality.

J. Karins, the Louisville monument man, who is well known here and who put up a number of tombstones in Buffalo Cemetery, died recently of pneumonia in Louisville.

Ben Stone and Charlie Taylor, Richmond printers, are preparing to go to Alaska. They will tramp to Seattle, and sail from there if the gold supply is not exhausted by that time.

Preston Smith, a well-known silver-smith of Russell county, died suddenly at his home. He and his wife had a quarrel in which several blows were exchanged and a few moments later he died in her arms.

Andy Higgins, an aged and well-known colored citizen of Danville, died last night.—Advocate. This is doubtless the same man mentioned in Judge Durham's famous letter to a colored man, which closed as follows: Give my love to your wife and tell Andy Higgins howdy.

Rev. John L. Smith, aged 80, a leading minister of the Baptist church, dropped dead in his yard at Danville. He was one of the largest stockholders in the Commercial Building Association, of Louisville, and leaves a good estate. His children are all grown. Mr. Smith was the third prominent citizen to drop dead within a week.

The Corrigan-Clark row at Cincinnati is now being fought in the newspapers. Corrigan says that Col. M. Lewis Clark did draw a large army pistol on him, but did so more because of drink than of being called a liar. He further says that nobody but a coward would carry such a pistol as Clark and that the colonel is a buffer, who once had rather an unpleasant experience in a gunplay that he once made on Capt. Tom Moore. Many years ago, he remembers being told that he was retreating and got hit with a bullet which interfered seriously with him when sitting down.

A peeper at Coney Island was caught in the act while under the ladies' dressing rooms on the beach. After being handled roughly by the bathing masters, who drove him into the water and then rowed boats over his head repeatedly, he was made to run the gauntlet between men, women and children, who jabbed him and smote him with every conceivable weapon at hand, from a parasol down to a hair pin. Half dead, he escaped.

The tragic death of Mrs. Cocke, a former Cynthia, Ky., woman, is being investigated by the authorities at Asheville, N. C. The fact that Mrs. Cocke had made a will leaving a considerable estate to her husband and the further fact that her life was insured for \$30,000, which will go to him, constituted the foundation for the talk, generally believed to be groundless.

William Sherritt, ex-sheriff of Scott county, attended the Oakley races and afterwards boarded a train, fell asleep and did not awake until all the passengers had left. When he awoke the train was in the switch yards and in a drowsy condition he attempted to alight while the train was in motion and was thrown under the wheels and instantly killed.

The library of the University of California has received a gift from Collis P. Huntington of more than 4,000 documents in Spanish and English, covering the early history of California. It is richer in the period just before the American occupation than any other collection except the Bancroft Library.

Examinations will be held at the county seats July 30 and 31 for the benefit of candidates for school superintendents whose eligibility has not heretofore been tested.

Charles Mullins, of Jonesville, Va., was given five years in the penitentiary for holding up Col. B. Price and relieving him of a quart of whisky and a pistol.

LANCASTER.

LANCASTER, July 26th, 2 P. M.—The democratic committee nominated A. D. Ford for judge; J. W. Hamilton for circuit clerk; I. M. Dunn for sheriff, and J. L. McCarley for assessor.

M. D. HUGHES.

The Baptist association will convene here Aug. 20, when a large crowd is expected.

W. J. Romans tells me that an advertisement in the INTERIOR JOURNAL sold some vehicles for him.

If the editor will offer one year's subscription to the INTERIOR JOURNAL, to be awarded to the best speller in the Institute this week, I will submit 50 test words and see who it is. (All right.—Ed.)

The Teachers' Institute meets today (Monday) at the court-house and it will be in session five days. We have a number of intelligent teachers and an interesting and instructive session is expected. Prof. W. E. Lumley, of Pulaski, Tenn., will conduct it.

R. L. Elkin has received a letter from the Duquesne Club, Pittsburgh, Pa., asking for a description of the peculiar fowls of which I wrote some time ago. This proves the large circulation of the INTERIOR JOURNAL and verifies the fact that the fowls are not all dead yet, as no such fowls ever existed, only in the imagination.

The entertainment given by Miss Mary Miller at her beautiful home on Danville Avenue, Thursday night, was attended by about 30 guests, all of whom were highly delighted and who proved their appreciation of the occasion by remaining long after midnight. It served as a sweet retreat from all the cares and burdens of life.

The prohibitionists will nominate a candidate for the Legislature to-day. It does appear that this is purely a moral and local issue and should not be mixed up with the politics of the country. I do not blame any democrat for opposing the sale of liquor, but I do censure him for voting the prohibition ticket against the nominees of his party, when nothing can be accomplished by it. Let him vote on the question when it comes before the people and support his nominees for office, as the republicans do, no difference how they feel about the spirits. That issue is not before the people in this section and a little reflection on the part of democrats will save the ticket a number of votes, while they can still hold to their views on the whisky question.

Some democrats have formed the habit of referring to members of their own party as "free silver men" when a great many who supported Bryan and who accept the Chicago platform, in the main, because the majority adopted it and because other democratic principles are embodied therein, do not favor the free coinage of silver, as standard money, at the ratio of 16 to 1 and who are as good democrats anybody. This is an unfortunate use of terms and should be abandoned, as it has a tendency to measure a man's democracy by a single issue, when there are others far more important, as trusts, protective tariff, centralization of power, &c. Let us refer to our party as democrats, the wing that went astray as gold standard advocates and the old enemy as republicans. This is certainly better taste and much more reasonable.

Charles M. Boulden, aged 36 years, died on Friday night at his home near Bryantsville, after a protracted illness of consumption of the bowels. He was born in Bourbon county, having moved to this county about 15 years ago and married a daughter of J. W. Poor, a prominent citizen of Lower Garrard.

He lived for awhile at Birmingham, Ala., where he had, at one time, considerable money invested. Possessed of a high order of intelligence and being very popular, he was superintendent of the Lancaster & Lexington turnpike road and was the republican nominee for sheriff in the present campaign. He was buried in the honors of Masonry and Knights of Pythias, being a prominent member of both orders. One of the longest processions ever witnessed here followed his remains to the Lancaster Cemetery Sunday at 12 o'clock, when his body was laid in its mother dust. Rev. Rutherford Douglas, of Nicholasville, made appropriate remarks, Rev. F. M. Hill offered a fervent prayer and the services closed with Masonic ceremonies, conducted by Mr. Henry Sandifer, of Danville, which were very impressive.

It was a common sight to see a pretty girl wading in mud and water with her dress up to her knees. W. P. Walton, of the INTERIOR JOURNAL, will but his head against a post now for not coming.—Lancaster Record.

Right you are, Bro. Landram, and we are going to butt your head against several posts for not advertising that kind of a show instead of a common, every day circus.

MT. VERNON.

Elder Forrer preached at Brodhead Sunday.

The children's party last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Linda Dillon, of Livingston, was a pleasant occasion.

Fred Kreuger will repair his lime kiln and resume work as soon as he finishes his brick kiln of about 110,000 brick.

The aid society will meet with Mrs. Sallie Williams next Thursday. The W. C. T. U. will meet with Miss Lena Newcomb on next Saturday.

W. A. B. Davis will move to his new store-house this week. Mrs. Jas. Robinson has been ill for several weeks at the residence of Mr. Wm. Weber.

Judge Martin, of Jackson county, is visiting his son-in-law, T. J. Stewart, at Wildie. Mr. Martin is a sterling democrat and we understand will be a candidate for county attorney, with every prospect of success.

The third demorest medal contest in the series of six for Rockcastle county will be held at Maysburg on the evening of August 4th. The W. C. T. U. of this place hopes to send two bearing gold medals to the grand contest at Glasgow.

A large crowd attended the Coffey sale last Saturday. Prices ruled extremely high. Mules sold for \$90 apiece, calves \$12 to \$16 apiece and everything else accordingly. A. W. Stewart was the administrator.

Rev. McCombs preached here Sunday. Mrs. Fannie Thompson has returned from a trip to Lancaster. Mr. Hugh Sam White is visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis are keeping house in the brick hotel. Sam Myers is improving in health. Mrs. Mollie Golden, of Louisville, is visiting her father.

Dr. Jones, a dentist, of Berea, is at the Joplin House. Messrs. Blazer, of Conway, visited here during the Institute. Mr. and Mrs. Brack Graves, of Livingston, visited here recently. Miss Ella Joplin gave a party last Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Mamie Ballard, and the teachers attending the Institute. Miss Mattie Williams assisted in entertaining and all went home delighted with the evening's enjoyment.

Yum, yum, yum. Just to think grand old Texas produces only about 40,000,000 watermelons, weighing in the aggregate only 800,000,000 pounds. Why, they could be packed in 30,000 cars and would make only about 2,000 train loads. Our 30,000,000 cantaloupes will make up the deficit, however.—Galveston News.

The tender little tid-bit, who advertised in the Louisville Times for a husband, turns out to be anything but a good thing. She is not only not a maiden, but has been married twice, the last time in doing so becoming the step-mother of 29 children.

Insurance companies have refused payment of policies on the life of the late Judge J. R. Jewell, of Lexington, on the grounds that he was unfit for insurance at the time the policies were issued.

Tobacco is now served out to soldiers by order of the United States war department as a regular stimulant. Half an ounce a day is the amount fixed upon.

Interchangeable mileage tickets will be in use on August 1 on 31 railroads between Pittsburgh and St. Louis and Chicago and the Ohio river.

In the famous Garden of Olives at Jerusalem there are eight flourishing olive trees that are known to be over 1,000 years old.

Representative McMiller says the new tariff bill will produce a deficiency instead of a revenue, and predicts another bond sale.

A plague of mosquitos has visited Monmouth county, N. J. They are reported to have killed a child within one hour.

Peter S. McNally, a Boston newspaper man, attempted to swim from England to France, and swam 35 miles in 15 hours.

A 14-year-old boy committed suicide in New York because his parents were unable to educate him.

Miss Loretta Small, daughter of Evangelist Sam Small, is to star in Shakespearesque roles.

One of the seven surviving widows of the revolutionary soldiers died at San Diego, Cal.

Chesapeake & Ohio excursion to Hot Springs, Va., and White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., on Friday, July 30th, for trains leaving Lexington at 11:25 A. M. and 8:50 P. M., the Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. will sell round-trip tickets to Hot Springs, Va., for \$7 and to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for \$6, tickets good returning 10 days from date of sale. For further particulars call on or write to George W. Barney, div. pass. agt., Lexington, Ky.

The annual drink bill of the United States is \$1,223,704,371.

MATRIMONIAL.

Preston Hubbard, of Madison, who read law here for a short time, is shortly to wed Miss Tommie Barnes.

Charles Jennings and Miss Katie Spears, of Danville, drove up to Elder Joseph Ballou's last week and were married by him.

Mrs. Charlotte Smith, the Boston reformer, is preparing a memorial for Congress, which, if it becomes a law, will make marriage compulsory.

John S. Howard and Mrs. Sophia Williams, both of whom had been married three times before, were joined for better or worse at Lowell, Ill.

Dr. D. A. McCurry, prominent Baptist divine at Belton, Ga., and a widower of three months, married Mrs. Sarah Conn, after a courtship of three weeks. He is 65 and his wife 50.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hiller, who live near Lagrange, Ind., have just completed 87 years of married life, and both bid fair to live longer. Mr. Hiller is now 107 years old, and his wife is 105. When they were married he was 20, she 18.

Mr. Gotlieb Jacobs, a clever gentleman from Ottenheim, obtained license yesterday to marry Miss Mary Suttka, who he says is the belle of all her section. The ceremony will occur July 29, and we wish the prospective pair great happiness.

Because she was not permitted to marry her lover, Miss Experience Gifford, of East Bluehill, Me., has not spoken a word for 50 years. Her vow expired last week and, dressed in her bridal dress, she tried to speak, but her vocal muscles refused to work.

Rather than let her employers know that she entertained company after midnight, Jennie Wise, of Elizabeth, N. J., stood by Friday morning and saw her sweetheart, Theodore Jones, taken away, handcuffed, to the jail, upon suspicion of being a burglar. She cried so much Saturday that she was questioned, and then she told the truth. Jones soon regained his freedom.

RELIGIOUS.

Rev. Peter Havermans, the oldest Catholic priest in the U. S., is dead at Troy, N. Y. He was born in 1806.

The union service at the Baptist church next Sunday evening will begin at 7:30 sharp. Rev. S. M. Logan will officiate.

The salvation army is getting ready to hold the biggest camp meeting of the season at Silver Hills, back of New Albany.

A jubilee of the home and foreign missions of the A. M. A. church at Ocean Grove, N. J., is attended by 5,000 colored people.

Rev. R. B. Mahony went to Lexington Saturday and filled Dr. Boyett's pulpit Sunday while the doctor preached for him at Preachersville.

Bibles and prayer books are necessities according to an English county court decision, and must be paid for by the husband when the wife obtains them on credit.

The singing will be held at Mrs. M. F. Elkin's Friday night and everybody who is interested in the improvement of the music at the union services is invited to be present.

The Kentucky annual conference convenes in Mt. Sterling, September 15 to 22. Bishop Wilson, of Baltimore, will preside. Many distinguished divines from this country and Canada and England will be in attendance.

The supposed grave of Eve is visited by over 40,000 pilgrims in each year. It is to be seen at Jeddah, in a cemetery outside the city walls. The tomb is 50 cubits long and 12 wide. The Arabs entertain a belief that Eve was the tallest woman that ever lived.

The Southern Methodist children are asked to make special offerings for the Korean Mission. The children of the Conference Society giving most may name the building and the society giving next to the largest amount will name the chapel in the mission building.

The Tompkinsville News says that Eld. Tice Spears, of the Christian church, is 87 years old and has been preaching 60 of them. He carries a large valise containing his earthly possessions. He is one of the few who preaches only for the good of the cause. During the 60 years of his ministry, he has not received more than \$250, and has never solicited donations.

The canal constructed at a cost of \$40,000, to bring water from the North Canadian river to operate mills at Oklahoma City, has been destroyed by gophers, that made holes through the dikes, through which the water ran, washing the banks away.

At present Bowling Green is full of sickness. Typhoid fever is raging in our midst, and the general condition of the city is very bad, to say the least of it. Fifth of every kind in all parts of the town is becoming very offensive to the populace.—Press.

Charles Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., died from lockjaw caused by stepping on a shoe peg.

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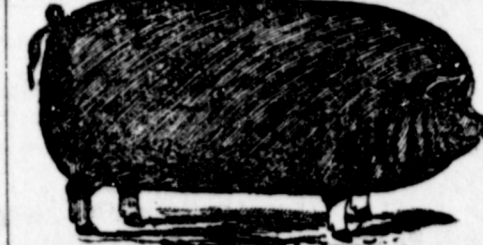
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W. C. RINEARSON, G. P. A. Cincinnati

TO THE PUBLIC!

Of Lincoln and Garrard.

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W. P. WALTON.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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" Circuit Judge, M. C. SAUFLEY.
" Com'lth Attorney, J. S. OWSLEY, Jr.
" Representative, M. F. NORTH.
" County Judge, J. E. LYNN.
" County Clerk, G. E. COOPER.
" County Attorney, HARVEY HELM.
" Circuit Clerk, J. F. HOLDAM.
" Sheriff, SAML. M. OWENS.
" Jailor, GEO. W. DEBORD.
" Assessor, C. G. BAKER.
" Coroner, WM. LANDGRAF.
Supt. Schools, GARLAND SINGLETON

'Tis done! The tariff bill which Senator Teller, a life long republican, says is "full of absurdities, if not of crime, and is vicious, unfair, extravagant and unsatisfactory," passed the Senate Saturday by a vote of 40 to 30. The dispatches are particular to state the hour and the minute it passed and the time it was signed by the presiding officer. Speaker Reed put his fist to it at 3:07 P. M. and at 4:07 the crowning infamy was accomplished by the president taking his pen in hand and affixing his signature. It went into immediate effect and now we may look for the long promised prosperity, when people will be made richer by being taxed to death. With fine crops and an unusual demand for them abroad, we may look for an improvement in financial conditions, which designing and other fool republicans will endeavor to make ignorant people believe is due to the Dingley bill and its infamous system of protection and fostering of trusts combines and other inventions of the devils, who want to live from the sweat of honest labor. It has taken the republicans nearly four months to pass the abortion. It will take the country 50 years to get over the evil effects of it. Immediately after the passage of the bill, Congress adjourned till December, the Senate declining to even consider the monetary commission bill fraud recommended by McKinley and passed by the House.

The very remarkable statement is sent that efforts are being made to indict Supt. W. F. Scott, of the Lexington Lunatic Asylum, because he is trying to run the institution as cheaply as possible. He has, it is claimed, saved already \$25,000. The effort to indict seems to be by those who have been cut off from furnishing supplies, they claiming that the doctor's economy is at the expense of comfort of the inmates. On the other hand, the doctor says he found that a great deal of food was being wasted and that he simply cut the over supply down. The people will commend his efforts for retrenchment and reform and will be disgusted at this effort of interested parties to harass and annoy him.

Since the above was written the grand jury has reported, roasting the superintendent from stem to stern. The report accuses him of starving and stinting the inmates, simply to make a record of economy, and says that his helpless incapacity and ignorance alone save him from indictment. His continuance, it says, at the head of such an institution is a disgrace and Gov. Bradley is asked to dismiss him at once.

Dr. Scott makes a hot reply to the report and demands that he be given the right to produce proof that the charges are false.

The withdrawal of Mr. J. E. Lynn from the democratic ticket, which he headed, is to be regretted, for he is a clever, capable and popular gentleman. He has but little taste for politics, however, preferring the comforts and quiet of his home to scrambling for office, so for that and other reasons, he withdraws in time for the party to canvass the question well and nominate a good man in his stead.

The duty on diamonds is reduced from 25 per cent ad valorem in the Wilson bill to 10 per cent by the Dingley bill. The rich only can wear diamonds and sugar and other necessities of life are taxed for their benefit. The poor man is not taken into the account. He is regarded only as a necessary evil by the republican Congress and is made to pony up for the expenses of the government prodigally administered on every hand.

It is stated on good authority that James R. Keene made \$2,000,000 on sugar stock in three days. But for the most unjust and iniquitous tariff ever foisted on a long suffering people such fabulous speculation could not have been made. Congress surrendered to the sugar trust, perhaps for a part of the swag—\$15,000,000—which is given it by flching from the pockets of the people.

EXCEPT to pass an infamous tariff bill the work of the four months' extra session of Congress was, as Billy Allen used to say, a d—n barren ideality. Very little else was done and what was done better had been left undone.

By refusing to appoint committees, Speaker Reed was enabled to hold his jackasses in check and to exercise his own sweet will over them. Hope of chairmanships or fear of insignificant assignments made him have complete dominion over them and endorse his tyrannical action after Jerry Simpson had protested against it. On the last day of the session, he named the committees. Colson is the only Kentuckian to get a chairmanship and that is the comparatively important one of expenditures on public buildings. He is besides placed on claims and pensions; Davison is placed on elections No. 2 and expenditures in the war department; Evans is on ways and means and expenditures in the agricultural department; Pugh gets a place on appropriations and alcoholic liquor traffic; Clardy is re-appointed on the agriculture and also gets on the committee on claims; Berry on rivers and harbors, and foreign affairs; Fitzpatrick on pensions and patents; Dave Smith got on the judiciary, and on ventilation and acoustics; Settle election committee No. 1; Wheeler was treated worse than any other man in the delegation, only receiving a place on the committee on militia.

Who writes the so-called editorials for the republican papers in this section? We have been noticing for some time that there was a decided sameness of utterance by these alleged makers of public opinion and Friday last we compared the columns of the three before us when they had several articles exactly alike, while the editorial columns of two were almost an exact reproduction of the other and each palmed them off as original. A syndicate editorial writer is something new under the sun.

EDITOR FORRESTER, of the Frankfort Capital, turns his search light on Editor Roberts, of the Lexington Leader, and not only charges that he is guilty of duplicity in the Pewee Valley post-office case, but that he or Deboe and Bristow have lied, most likely he. Roberts has so far made no response, and his silence may possibly be construed into a confession of guilt.

TO J. E. CARSON, CHAIRMAN, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE OF LINCOLN.

When I accepted the democratic nomination for county judge, which came to me unsolicited I did not know or believe that outside issues would be brought into the campaign. Such have arisen and not being in sympathy with them and feeling that I can not champion such measures I have decided to withdraw from the race. I have always been a democrat and expect to remain so, and am very anxious for the success of the splendid ticket you named in May last—excepting myself of course. Trusting that you will place in my stead a democrat, good and true, and pledging him my support in advance, I am very respectfully yours,

J. E. LYNN.

Stanford, July 24.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Notice of the withdrawal of Mr. J. E. Lynn from the democratic ticket, for reasons stated in his letter, which appears in this paper, having been received I hereby call the committee to meet at Stanford at 10 o'clock Thursday, July 29th, to take steps to nominate another candidate for county judge. A full attendance is desired and all candidates for the office are requested to be present.

J. E. CARSON, Chm'n.
Dem. Co. Committee.

July 26, 1897.

POLITICS

Collector John W. Yerkes is to take charge of the office July 31. Thomas Taggart was re-nominated by the democrats of Indianapolis for mayor.

Urey Woodson, of the Owensboro Messenger, has been appointed general manager of the Louisville Dispatch, a position he is very capable of filling.

The Richmond Register says that Gov. McCreary is besieged with appeals to announce his candidacy for Congress next year, but so far he has said neither yea nor nay.

Headman Bristow is beating all previous records in the matter of transferring the fourth-class post-master spoils to the victors. On June 31 he made 157 appointments and Saturday he scored 163.

Gov. Tanner, of Illinois, was roundly hissed when riding at the head of the Logan procession in Chicago Thursday. His utter surrender to the street car ring, sacrificing the people of Chicago, was the cause.

With the passage of the amended Dingley tariff bill the price of goods will at once advance and already merchants are busy marking up the values and poor people, with little money, will be the sufferers.

The Stanford INTERIOR JOURNAL gives an exhaustive reply to one of Henry Waterson's long effusions. The Stanford editor writes most interestingly and sensibly.—Louisville Dispatch, which proceeds to copy part of the reply.

The first Southern colored man to se-

cure recognition from the present administration was Henry A. Rucker, an Atlanta barber, who was appointed collector of internal revenue for the Georgia district, despite the vigorous opposition of the "Lily White" element.

Only one so-called democrat voted for the tariff bill, McEnery, of Louisiana, as did silver republican Jones and populist Stewart. Teller, Allen and Butler, all members of the silver combine, were present and refused to vote, while Kyle and Pettigrew were absent without pairs.

The democrats polled 140,000 votes in their primary in Louisville, the republicans polled 8,000. The readers of the Capital will please bear in mind our original, only genuine signature on each package prediction that Weaver will win by at least 5,000 majority and perhaps by as much as 8,000.—Frankfort Capital.

This amendment to the constitution will be submitted to the voters in November: The general assembly may by general laws, provide for taxation by municipalities of property other than lands and improvements thereon, based on income, licenses or franchises, which may be either in addition to or in lieu of ad valorem taxes thereon.

Chauncey Depew thinks that \$100,000 in gold a year will come in from Alaska. We will then repudiate our obligations by paying them off in cheap gold. Silver will shoot up to the moon in price. Rothschild will become a silver bug and the gold bugs will change to silver bugs. The money devil will become an angel of mercy and hell will be a summer resort.

Says the Louisville Post, which is "agin" him: There is no combination, no diversion, no division, no fusion, which can prevent the election of Shackelford. Everybody knows it. The republican leaders know it, and the knowledge has reached even the innermost regions of "darkest Africa," and is consequently known even to the editor of the Courier Journal. The man who denies it merely sins against light.

Ten years ago it was not considered respectable to be a republican in Kentucky. Now it really isn't respectable to be a republican of the kind that is running party affairs here and at Washington. They used to call it the "nigger party" now the Negroes are about the only decent ones left who affiliate with the gang headed by Hunter, Deboe, Todd, Taylor, Franks, Sapp, Erdman and their tribe. And the Negro suffers in reputation by the association.—Frankfort Capital.

The bolterate convention, says the Carlisle Mercury, was one of exs. It was called to order by ex-Speaker Carroll; it was presided over by ex-Judge Sims; its permanent chairman was ex-Secretary Carlisle; ex-Gov. Buckner nominated ex-Lt. Gov. Hindman; it was addressed by ex-Congressmen Waterson and Breckinridge; ex-Circuit Clerk Orndorff was defeated; and the committees made up of ex-judges, ex-State Senators, ex-representatives and ex-candidates. Senator Lindsay was the only real live statesman in the bunch, and he would be an ex-Senator if those who elected him could get at him.

The ticket nominated by the republicans in Louisville is strictly an A. P. A. affair. Dr. Harris, who was nominated for coroner, expresses its sentiments as follows: "In accepting this honor I desire to state that I am an American citizen. I also want to state unequivocally that I am opposed to Catholicism. A religion that violates the second commandment. I am opposed to the confessional; I confess my sins only to my God. I am opposed to the man who sits in the Papal chair and calls himself Lord God. I want to say that if I am elected the first duty I shall perform will be to find out who dies in the convent and how they die."

News Briefly Told

John Fisher, a drunken Paris Negro, had his head cut off by a K. C. train.

Ephraim Brinkley, a murderer, was hanged by a mob at Nebo, in Hopkins county.

Six masked men tortured and robbed an old woman of \$1,500 near Smithfield, W. Va.

All save 34 miles of the turnpike roads in Fayette county are free to public travel.

The grand jury at Lexington refused to indict Jacob Harris, the slayer of Thos. Merritt.

Dan Harris, who murdered a woman, was sentenced at Nashville to be hanged September 3.

J. S. Alsmom, of Virginia, has a deed to the land on which Frankfort is built and will sue for it.

To save the rebate Covington and Newport brewers bought \$100,000 worth of beer stamps.

Mrs. Maggie Thornton, whose son was drowned Wednesday, dropped dead at Midway Saturday.

Four white men have been indicted in Nevada county, Ark., for attempting to drive Negroes out of the county by lawless methods.

The republicans nominated a county ticket in Anderson Saturday, headed by Bruce Severely, for county judge, a bolterate and a turncoat.

When five New York bloomer girls met a bear they promptly took to a tree. The sight of a mouse would probably have created a like stampede.

Dr. D. C. Scull, of Lebanon, Ind., died after fasting 49 days.

Pat McDonald, a Cincinnati cook, severed three fingers while attempting to chop a chicken's head off.

Archie McMullin, a white man, was sentenced at Conroe, Texas, to be hanged for assaulting a little girl.

Willis Meredith, county clerk of Edmonson county, short in his accounts \$720, has left for parts unknown.

Lightning struck three small children of Jas. Williams, of Wolfe county, this State, killing two of them.

George Shoeman, a farmer living near Springfield, O., died after hiccoughing day and night for a week.

A man who has just returned from the Alaska gold fields says it is hard to get along in Dawson City on less than \$50 a day.

Steve Moore, of Owensboro, determined to kill himself, took 10 grains of morphine and drank a half ounce of laudanum.

Rollin Burt, of Muncie, Ind., was shot and killed while on his way to church by his pistol falling from his pocket and discharging.

Matthew Hayward, an old Federal soldier at Columbus, O., attempted to kill himself because he could not get an increase of pension.

The brothers of Dr. W. L. Ryder, who was hung by a mob at Talbott, Ga., took a solemn oath at his grave that they would avenge his death.

Bourbon county purchased from Col. W. W. Baldwin 18 miles of turnpike for \$25,000. This frees all the roads in that county, making 350 miles in all.

A lady in Franklin, Ind., was killed by getting a grain of corn in her windpipe, which flew into her mouth while she was shelling corn to her chickens.

Special dispatches from Madrid state that the bodies of 26 infants in rough deal boxes, have been discovered in the tower of St. Peter's church at Seville.

John W. Chapman, individual book-keeper of the Georgetown branch of the Farmers Bank, has left for parts unknown. He is \$2,000 or more behind.

The Indiana law restricting the sale of convict-made goods from the other States has been declared unconstitutional by Judge Fox, of the Wayne circuit court.

It develops that Lee Brazelton, who was supposed to have been drowned at Knoxville, is on his way to Alaska. He had tried to swindle insurance companies out of \$8,500.

It is estimated that 40,000 people will be at Dawson, Alaska, by September 1, with food for less than \$4,000. Thousands of lives must be sacrificed there from the thirst for gold.

The neighbors of Boyce Speicher, living near Detroit, Mich., gave him a coat of tar and feathers and ordered him to leave that section because he made vicious remarks about the women.

Lewis Redwine, who stole over \$100,000 from the Gate City National Bank at Atlanta, Ga., and who has since been confined in the United States jail at Columbus, Ohio, has been willed a fortune.

Local option is succeeding well in Winchester. The police court used to be filled with drunks and disorderlies. The first month under the new state of things shows only two cases of any kind before the police court.

Ships are leaving for Alaska overloaded with more than their legal complement of passengers. Specially chartered vessels are loaded to the utmost. And yet the gold-crazed prospectors can not be taken to Alaska fast enough.

Renewed activity in the effort to enforce the prohibitory law is being manifested throughout Kansas. Temperance people have become alarmed over the boldness of the Jointists and are stirring up the officials to suppress the violators.

Oscar Williams, a Negro under arrest in Georgia for criminal assault, was taken from a train and lynched. The lynching of Williams is said to be part of a plan for a wholesale lynching bee, at which four other criminals are to be disposed of.

The 25th United States Infantry Bicycle Corps has completed its ride of 1,900 miles from Fort Missoula, Montana to St. Louis. The distance was covered in 40 days, only 35 of which were actually spent on the road. The average distance traveled each day was 52 miles. Over part of the route the daily average was 60 miles.

LANCASTER COURT.—A fairly good crowd attended yesterday, but little business of any kind was done. No cattle were offered publicly but a few of the 20 or 30 on the market changed hands privately. Good butcher stuff brought 2½c; heifers and steers 3 to 3½, feeders 3 to 3½c. Several milk cows brought \$20 to \$25.

Col. Underwood sold at Lancaster yesterday a sow and 8 pigs for \$15 and a sow and 9 pigs for \$12.30.

Months of Neglect

Cannot be overcome by feeding a few doses of the Remedy after hogs are past help. Avoid risk and make extra flesh by feeding Dr. Hays' Hog Remedy in time and according to directions. For sale by TANNER BROS., McKinney, Ky.

GREATEST OF ALL

Bargain : Weeks.

At the Louisville Store.

We speak nothing but the truth when we say we are offering genuine reductions throughout our entire house. Prices are absolutely low. Judge by these. Men and women's Shoes and Oxfords to slaughtered. Men's Lace or Congress Shoes in plain and pointed toes at \$1 per pair. A better one in plain, pointed or coin toes goes at \$1.50 and \$2 value anywhere. Men's Vici kid at \$2, worth \$3. Vici kid oxfords for men at \$1 and \$1.25. 200 pairs ladies black and tan shoes both in lace and button in the latest style and toe, to be sold at \$1.50, worth \$2.25 anywhere. Ladies tan or black oxfords at 50c. A finer grade in black and tan at \$1. A few pairs left of black oxfords in the latest style toe and fancy vesting top at \$1.50 worth \$5. Misses' oxfords and buckle slippers in tan, black and oxblood shades at 50c to \$1.25. Boys' and youths' Shoes, good quality calf skin, worth \$1.75, this week 95c.

Dress Shirts.

Ladies' novelty dress shirts in black and fancy colors lined with rustle line and well made at \$1.25. Shirt waists made of French Dimity, two dozen styles to select from at 50c each. A few left yet at 25c each. Wash goods, organdies, Dimities etc. at 8½ to 15c worth double the money.

Silk Umbrellas and Parasols,

Fancy China Silks Parasols in the new nobby effects at \$1.75, worth \$3. White satin and silk parasols at \$1.50. Black silk parasols with the latest Dresden trimmed handles at \$1.50 to \$2.

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A man's All Wool suit for \$4.50. Come and see them whether you want to buy or not.

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E. C. WALTON, BUSINESS MANAGER.

PRESCRIPTIONS are filled right and at right prices at Penny's Drug Store.

PERSONALS.

MISS ANNIE STRAUB is at Tatham Springs.

DR. J. PEYTON is out after quite a spell with flux.

MR. JAMES B. OWENS was in Louisville last week.

MRS. ED NEVUS is visiting relatives in Marion county.

MISS SADIE HAWKINS, of Corbin, is visiting the Misses Ellis.

MISS EMYLEE MOSS, of Glasgow, is the guest of Miss Capple Powell.

CARROLL PORTMAN, of Mt. Vernon, spent Sunday with his parents here.

MRS. ROXY BUCHANAN, of Williamsburg, is visiting Mrs. John P. Davis.

MISS VIRGINIA TAYLOR, of Hustonville, was a guest of Mrs. G. B. Cooper.

MISS MARY BRIGHT, of Stanford, is visiting Miss Rebecca Pope.—Advocate.

MRS. W. P. GRIMES and children are spending a few weeks with Mrs. S. W. Givens.

MR. J. J. McROBERTS and family will move into a portion of Mrs. Mattie Withers' house.

MISS EFFIE and HATTIE BURKS, of Lexington, are visiting their sister, Mrs. I. W. Fish.

MISS RUBY RICE, of Burgin, who has been visiting Mrs. Mattie Nevius, returned home Friday.

W. B. WEAREN is back from the Nashville Exposition to spend several days with his homefolks.

MRS. R. WILLIAMS and little Nettie White went up to Livingston Sunday to visit Mrs. Joseph Coffey.

MISS BETTIE PAXTON returned Saturday after a lengthy visit to Nashville, Lexington and other points.

MRS. MARTHA McALISTER and Mrs. Owsley Evans, of Danville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAllister.

MISS MARY PENNINGTON and VIRGINIA BOURNE are visiting Miss Catherine Hall at Hustonville.

MRS. J. F. JOHNSON, who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. H. Rout, left yesterday for New Orleans.

MISS MARIETTA ABRAHAMS, after a visit to friends in Garrard, returned to her home near Crab Orchard Saturday.

MISS EDWIN ADAMS, of Danville, stopped over with Mrs. J. H. Yeager yesterday on her return from Crab Orchard.

MR. J. A. MUDD and family are back from Grayson Springs and Bonnieville, where they have been for the past seven weeks.

MR. JOHN RAY, with his violin, is the latest addition to the choir at the Baptist church, and he is an excellent performer.

MRS. O. H. FISHBACK and Miss Alina Fishback, of Glasgow Junction, are guests of Mr. A. C. Fishback at the Myers House.

MRS. C. A. MOORE and her pretty sister, Miss Pearl Pollock, who has made many friends here, left for Cambridge, O., yesterday.

MISS SUDIE RILEY, who has been the guest of Mrs. Thomas Dalton, returned to her home at London Sunday, leaving more than one sad heart.

FOX DUDDERAR, who is visiting his parents here, tells us that he has been transferred from Corbin and Jellico to the Louisville and Nashville run.

REV. J. M. BRUCE, of Elizabethtown, who has been visiting in Boyle, has also been the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. N. A. Tyree, and preached at the Baptist church here Sunday.

C. H. HAYDEN, postal clerk, has been offered a run between Louisville and Memphis, with a considerable increase of salary, but his love for the old K. C. made him decline it.

MR. AND MRS. A. C. SINE and Little Miss Minnie will leave this morning for Clarksburg, Pa., to visit Mrs. Sine's mother, Mrs. Mattie Rosborough, who is getting very old and infirm.

MR. MACK HUFFMAN will leave in a few days for Butte City, Montana, to visit his brother, R. E. Huffman, whom he has not seen for 30 years, and while he is up that way may go to the Alaska gold fields.

THAT delightful little elocutionist, Miss Lou Clark, was here Saturday with a view of getting a class in her favorite art and we hope that she succeeded. Miss Debra Coulter came up with her and this office highly appreciates the call they made it.

"GUSAGUE OWSELEY returned to his post of duty in the Richmond revenue office Monday." This is the original and unique way that the Lancaster Record has of referring to W. O. Owsley, to whom the nickname of "Goose Egg" sticketh closer than a brother.

MR. D. R. HAMILTON and wife, of Louisville, came up Saturday to spend several days with his father, Mr. Isaac Hamilton, at Rowland. Mr. H. has been with the Ballard Obelisk Flour Co. for years and now has an interest in the immense mills, which sometimes turn out as much as 2,000 barrels per day. The company does a big exporting business, sending flour to almost every country in the world.

MRS. W. T. STEPHENSON, of Crab Orchard, sister and mother of J. M. McRoberts and J. A. Stephenson, of this place, respectively, is very ill of pneumonia and pleurisy.

A dispatch last evening said she was barely alive and could last but a short time.

HOME NEWS.

DANKS fits spectacles scientifically.

WARREN & SHANKS, fine, new Candies.

FLAKED rice, something new. Higgins & McKinney.

WARREN & SHANKS, Fruit Cans, Jars and Gums.

LAWNS and organies at reduced prices at W. H. Shanks'.

ICE cold ice cream soda water, pure fruit syrups at John H. Meir's.

POSTUM cereal substitute for coffee makes you fat. Higgins & McKinney.

SEE the Simplicity Evaporator. You use it in your cook stove. Higgins & McKinney.

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BORN, a few days since, to the wife of Mr. Richard Martin, near Willow Grove, a girl.

WE are in the cash business to stay. Try it and you will like it as well as we do. Farris & Hardin.

MONEY.—George L. Penny, trustee of the jury fund, has received the jury money for the June term and is disbursing it.

YOUR watch you left with me to be repaired is ready for you and can be had by calling on J. W. Rout at the post-office. Thomas Richards.

C. C. W.—John Vandever, a Walnut Flat Negro, who was indicted for carrying concealed weapons at the last term of court, was arrested and placed in jail Saturday in default of \$50 bail.

ELLIOTT, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Jones, fell from the banisters on which he was sliding Thursday night and broke his left arm between the elbow and the wrist. Both bones were broken, but the little fellow is doing splendidly.

BANGS LANDRAM speaks of "Maples," the residence of the Misses Elkin, as "on Stanford street." As Maples is fully two miles from Lancaster, the Record man must be getting ready for the census of 1900 by annexing, like Chicago, all the outlying rural districts.

GOV. BRADLEY has undertaken a collection of pictures of all the governors of Kentucky, to be placed in the executive mansion. He might draw on Lincoln county for the first governor. A fine portrait of Gov. Isaac Shelby hangs in the court-house.

A COWARDLY scamp went to the home of Sam'l Wharton, who is 80 and has a wife who is nearly as old and stone blind, and beat all around on the house to awaken and annoy them. A bullet hole through his skull would be good medicine for such a scamp.

THIS is absolutely too bad. A dispatch from Richmond says that the sad news has been given out by Collector Yerkes that he will retain the present force in the collector's office here until he knows more about the civil service. He will wait, at least, until Mr. McKinley sets aside Mr. Cleveland's civil service order, or until the Lee Dudley case in Louisville is settled.

A WARRANT was issued for Jim Moore, Jr., and Laurel Brown for beating two Germans, Andrew Ashbacher and Louis Pihormer, over their heads with beer bottles and otherwise injuring them, but when Constable M. S. Peyton went to arrest them he found them non est. Both men are badly injured and it is thought that one of them will die.

COL. A. E. BOONE seems to be a man with a mission, at least he always sleeps with one eye open on his Black Diamond road, which is to run from Chicago through Kentucky and Tennessee to the Atlantic Southern seaboard. The dispatches say he is at Frankfort preparing a charter for the Kentucky part of the system and that he avers that the road is a certainty.

CARPENTER.—Morris, son of the late John D. Carpenter, died at Manchester Saturday of appendicitis, for which he was operated on by Dr. J. G. Carpenter. He and his brother were visiting relatives there when he was stricken. His mother, who is now Mrs. William Heddens, of Kansas City, was telegraphed for and she and her husband arrived in time to see him alive. The remains were brought here Sunday and taken to Hustonville for interment that afternoon. Morris was about 15 years of age and was a most promising boy. His mother was Miss Kate White, of Manchester, and during her first marriage lived in this county, where she made many friends, who sorrow over her bereavement.

TABLETS and school books, better and cheaper than ever. Penny's Drug Store.

LEAF is the name of a new postoffice in Garrard and E. W. Norris will have charge of it.

TWO burials in an hour of each other yesterday impresses the fact that the city of the dead on the hill is rapidly filling up.

THE K. C. will sell tickets at one fare to Richmond and back this week, on account of the fair, which begins to-day and lasts till Friday evening.

A TEAM of mules belonging to S. H. Baughman took a tilt down Mill street and up Somerset, but were stopped before any damage to amount to anything was done.

AN excursion train from Louisville brought about 200 colored people here Sunday, many of whom used to live in Stanford, but who have found good homes in the city.

Q. & C. excursion to Cincinnati next Sunday, Aug. 1, at usual low rates. Summer resorts open. Coney Island, the Lagoon, the Zoo, etc. Championship game of base ball, the Reds vs. the Cleveland. Ask agents or see small bills for particulars.

SHOWERS continue to come at intervals and the growing crops are bounding into perfection. The prospect for corn is very fine. It was very warm yesterday, the humidity making it more disagreeable. Showers for last night and fair to-day is the present prediction.

BARN BURNED.—A large barn belonging to R. H. Bronaugh, of Crab Orchard, was struck by lightning and burned Saturday afternoon, together with a large lot of hay. There were a good deal of harness and farming implements in the building, but most all of it was saved.

BOSS DAVISON, having succeeded in passing a tariff bill and adjourning Congress, will now turn his attention to Lincoln county politics. He will name his ticket Monday week and from then till November he will spend his time whipping the deluded rads into line and speechifying when he is certain no democrat who can answer him, and any can, is near.

WOLFORD.—Albert A. Woolford, a brother of Gen. Woolford, and whose first wife was a sister of Mr. D. W. Vandever, died at his home in Casey Saturday, aged 70. He was a fine old man and in his day a most expert surveyor, filling that office several times in his county. He was the father of W. C. and Dale Wolford by his first wife and of six children by his last who is still living.

HALES.—Miss Mollie Hales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hales, died Sunday at 6 p. m. of consumption, aged 30 years. Ten months ago she had a spell of typhoid fever, which left her system in such condition that she became an easy victim to the disease, which soon sapped her vitality and ended her life. She was a member of the Methodist church and was fully prepared for the change, which she spoke of calmly and of which she had no fear. The funeral was preached yesterday afternoon at the Methodist church by Rev. W. S. Grinstead and the remains taken to Buffalo Cemetery for interment by sorrowing friends, who deeply sympathize with the bereaved.

HELLO, EXCHANGE!—Messrs. B. T. Conway and C. S. Johnston, of the Southern Telephone and Supply Co., with headquarters at Lebanon, tell us they have made all arrangements to open a telephone exchange here about Sept. 1. They have contracted for the poles, which will be here for erection by next Monday. The exchange will be in the back up-stairs rooms of the First National Bank building, which will be suitably fixed up. Besides a connection with every house in town, which will rent an instrument, we will be connected at once with Lancaster and Hubble and later with Danville and the blue grass towns. We are already connected with Liberty, McKinney, Mt. Salem and Hustonville and when the new line is up Stanford will be dead in it as a telephone town.

WANTED TO DIE (?).—Saturday night J. M. Brady, son of Jerome Brady, went to the home of Mrs. Hickson at Rowland and told her that he had taken laudanum and wanted a place to die. She let him in and aroused the neighbors, who went at once for Dr. Cook. It seems that Brady has been paying court to Miss Effie, the pretty daughter of Mrs. Hickson, and that she had informed him when he asked her to be his wife that she could never, never be, from the fact that she had promised to wed another. He told her that life without her would be a very blank blank and that he could not live under such circumstances, preferring death at his own hands to it. He then went off and procured some laudanum, but either his courage failed him or he was working a bluff, for he did not take enough to hurt him very much. He was up and about yesterday and will no doubt experience after awhile that there are as good fish in the seas were ever caught and that it is foolish for a man to think that any girl is the only pebble on the beach.

JUST received a car load of Prime Cypress shingles. If you want a roof that will last an age, try the Cypress. A. C. Sine.

BIG SNAKE.—Sam Hamm killed a snake near Kingsville last week which measured 14 inches around and had 10 rattles and a button. His wife stepped on it and the reptile bit her shoe, but fortunately its fangs did not get to the flesh.

THE trustees of Lynnwood public school, Messrs. Free Silver Johnson, W. A. Hall and W. M. Matheny, have selected Miss Marie Warren to teach that school and she will begin next Monday. The trustees are to be congratulated on their good judgment.

A FRIEND of Boss Davison tells us that we were misinformed in reference to his endorsing three other applicants for the Rowland postoffice and then recommending a fourth. We are here to give even the devil his due and would not misrepresent any body if we knew it.

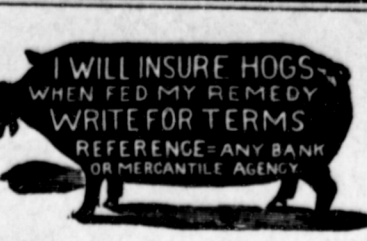
SOCKED IT TO HIM.—A young fellow from Lexington got drunk and went to Crab Orchard Springs Friday night and shot off his pistol four times. Marshal Dillion arrested him and at his trial he was fined \$5 for being drunk, \$25 for disorderly conduct and \$25 and 10 days in jail for carrying concealed weapons. He ponied up the \$65 but hasn't been brought to jail that we have heard of.

VANDALS.—A couple of boys, judging by their tracks in the meal, went to Carter & Straub's mill Sunday and cut the belts and sacks to the full damage of \$50. Perry McLain was suspected and while his feet fit the tracks and his hand was cut, as the rascal's evidently was, judging by the blood on the sacks, he protested his innocence and Marshal Newland did not arrest him. There seems no reason for the act except pure and unadulterated meanness.

TAKEN FOR JAGS.—Editor J. M. Allen gives himself away in the Cynthia Democrat as follows: We went over to Stanford Saturday, and spent several very pleasant days with Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Sharrard, who are now housekeeping. Monday Mr. Sharrard and the Democrat man drove to Crab Orchard Springs for the day. At dinner the waiter made an awful mistake and seated us at the Keely Cure table. A drive of 10 miles in the sun and wind had tanned our naturally beautiful complexions and drawn magnificent coral beads on the end of our noses, so that the mistake was probably not altogether unwarranted. We called the waiter to account, however, and he was profuse in apologies. "Say boss," said he: "don't think nothin' of that. We sometimes seat nice people here."

HORRIBLE.—John S. Orndorff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Orndorff, was struck in the face by the spout of a water tank as he was passing Lily Sunday night about 8 o'clock and so severely injured that he died at 2:15 next morning. He was on duty as fireman on his engine at the time and the company sent him home on a special at once. He never regained consciousness and died shortly after his arrival. The blow seems to have reduced his brains to a jelly. Deceased was a most excellent young man. He was devoted to his parents and brothers and sisters and much of his wages went to give them comfort and pleasure. A member of the Presbyterian church, he was always in his seat in church when he could be at home and he living fully up to the lights before him, has doubtless received his reward. After a sermon at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon by Rev. S. M. Logan, the remains were interred in Buffalo Cemetery and many were the expressions of sorrow for the sudden cutting down of such a promising young man and for the sorely afflicted family, who had lost so dutiful a son and loving brother.

DISMISSED.—Some time ago Houston Ball, of Middlesboro, sued the editor of the INTERIOR JOURNAL for libel and fixed his damages at \$5,000. The case was docketed in the Bell county circuit court and set for trial last Tuesday. Judges J. W. Alcorn and George W. Saulsberry, the paper's attorneys, filed a demurrer, stating that the petition did not give a sufficient cause of action. Judge Hall sustained the demurrer and gave the defendant till Friday to amend. His attorneys did so: the defendant again demurred and was again sustained by the court, which dismissed the case, the plaintiff praying an appeal to the court of appeals. Until served with process, we had never heard of Ball, item we printed having been culled from a Cincinnati paper, and making no impression on us. It published a dispatch from Middlesboro saying that Ball had been given \$200 to deposit in bank by his brother, Charlie Ball, and that instead of doing so he had taken the train for a distant State. We had no feeling whatever in the matter and if it was untrue, we would have gladly set Mr. Ball right if he had written us. Libel suits are very poor methods for the establishment of character. We never intentionally do any one a wrong and when, if by chance we do, we stand ready and willing to make due reparation, which is as much as anybody should want, who does not seek money.



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